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FATAL HURTS AT FIRE

Chief of Police at Lancaster the Victim of an Accident This Morning

A Hermit Found Dead and Is Believed to Have Been Murdered for Money.

ROBBERS AT LEWISBURG FOILED

POLICE CHIEF HURT.
Lancaster, Ky., Sept. 9.—The boarding house of Mrs. Mary Fox was destroyed by fire with its contents last night and S. D. Rothwell, chief of police, jumped from the second story window and fractured his hip, in addition to receiving internal injuries which may prove fatal.

MAYBE HE NEEDED IT.
Indianapolis, Ind., Sept. 9.—The Indianapolis Street Car company is investigating a charge made against former Governor W. S. Taylor, of Kentucky, by a conductor in the employ of the company who alleges the Kentuckian threatened to "fill him full of holes."

ATTEMPTED TO ROB A BANK.
Russellville, Ky., Sept. 9.—Robbers made an attempt to rob a bank at Lewisburg at 1 o'clock this morning and after forcing an entrance and blowing open the vault were frightened away before they secured any cash.

WAS PROBABLY MURDERED.
Springfield, Ky., Sept. 9.—Jack Snields, a hermit, living on Chaplin river, sixteen miles northwest of here, was found dead lying in his door, and it is believed was murdered.

POSTOFFICE ROBBED.
Elkton, Ky., Sept. 9.—The post-office at Fairview, this county, was robbed last night of \$85, the thieves, who broke in, leaving no clue.

NEW WRINKLE.
PROFESSIONAL WHISTLER AN ATTRACTION AT CHICAGO CHURCH.

Chicago, Sept. 9.—The innovation of a professional whistler in church has attracted to the vesper services of the South Congregational church a crowd that filled every seat of the auditorium and overflowed into the vestibule. Carriages stopped on the boulevard and passersby waited outside the doors. Three numbers were rendered by Robert Chisholm Bain—Rabenstein's "Voices from the Woods," Lassen's "The Loving Voice of Jesus" and "The Holy City."

Mr. H. H. Blake, the chairman of the church committee of music, was highly pleased with the result.

Mrs. Dora Whittemore of Memphis is a guest of Mr. and Mrs. John Rehkopf, on Madison street between Third and Fourth.

THE MARKETS.

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	OPEN	CLOSE
WHEAT—		
Sept.	71	7 1/2
December	68	68 1/2
May	66	66 1/2
CORN—		
Sept.	76	77
December	42	43
May	39	40
OATS—		
Sept.	25 1/2	26
December	31	31 1/2
May	31	31 1/2
PORE—		
Oct.	10 02	10 85
January	14 92	14 95
May	14 09	14 07
Lard—		
Oct.	9 72	9 67
January	8 30	8 40
May	8 02	8 02
RIBS—		
Oct.	10 00	9 97
January	7 87	7 85

THE RAILROAD LOST

Judge White's Decision in the Injunction Cases Rendered.

It is a Black Eye for the Contractors Who Were Arrested Here Recently.

THE FULL EFFECT NOT KNOWN

Judge White, of the court of appeals, yesterday afternoon at Bardwell rendered a decision in the railroad injunction cases brought in the McCracken circuit court, dissolving the injunctions, which were enforced by a decision of Circuit Judge Husbands, prohibiting several property owners of the county from interfering with, or securing warrants against, the railroad contractors who were at work on certain property in the county which has been condemned. The effect of this will be that the property owners can continue securing warrants for trespass if the contractors continue work. The cases were argued before Judge White Saturday, and the news of his decision was not received until late yesterday. The origin of the trouble was several weeks ago when the Illinois Central railroad company brought suit in the county court to condemn certain property desired for the extension of a line to Cairo. The company and in some cases property owners were not satisfied with the appraisements of commissioners or those rendered in court, and took an appeal. The question of where the money awarded the property owners should be deposited came up before Judge Lightfoot, and he decided that it should be deposited with the county clerk, in order that the railroad company could secure the difference between the amount awarded and the amount the higher courts decide is proper, should it prove to be less than the awards in the lower court. The property owners appealed from this decision, claiming that the money should be paid them or the railroad could not go to work on the land. An effort was made to work on the right of way on the farms of H. W. Rottgering, Mr. Sam Leibel and R. L. Potter, and warrants were taken out against the contractors for trespass. They gave bond, and finally took out an injunction to enjoin the property owners from swearing out additional warrants or otherwise interfering with the work, and Judge Husbands sustained it and made the injunction perpetual. An appeal was then taken and went to Judge White, the nearest judge of the court of appeals, for a decision, which was a reversal of Judge Husbands, leaving the case where it was at first. In the meantime, however, the railroad has done most of the work on the three farms. The attorneys are not ready to state what course will now be pursued, as it is up to the railroad. The opinion of Judge White arrived at noon today, and briefly stated reverses Judge Husbands on nearly every point, dissolving the injunction and holding that the railroad company had no right to enter the land before paying the owner therefor. It was stated by the attorneys for the railroad company this afternoon that the effect will be simply that the railroad company will have to pay the money awarded the property owners in order to proceed with the work, and take chances on getting any of it back in case the higher courts decide that the amounts awarded are excessive.

BEGAN WORK.
INSURANCE RE-RATER STARTED IN TODAY AND WILL BE HERE SIX WEEKS.
Mr. Barber Gray of Louisville, who arrived yesterday to re-rate the city for the Kentucky and Tennessee board of underwriters, went to work this morning, and expects to complete his labors in about six weeks, or two months at the longest.

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DROWNED HERSELF

Tragic End of Unfortunate Woman Who Killed Her Children.

Drowned Herself in the River After Leaving a Long Letter "To the People."

SHE HAD BEEN CRAZY

Greenville, Sept. 9.—Mrs. Mollie Westrope, the insane mother who killed and burned her five children near Hazlehurst, Miss., on June 16, suicided at this place by drowning herself in the river. Louis Westrope brought his wife, Mollie Westrope, to this city last Friday. He engaged board for her at the Villa hotel and returned to his home at Clayton, Miss., where he was busily engaged in harvesting his crop. Mrs. Westrope was confined for some time in an asylum at Natchez, Miss. The physicians finally advised her husband to accompany her on a tour of travel, that change of scene might benefit her condition. Accordingly they visited many places, and instead of returning her to the scene of the crime, he brought her to this place. Yesterday she left the hotel. She met an old negro woman and asked about the river. This was the last seen of her. When she failed to return to the hotel, Mrs. Thompson, the landlady, became alarmed. Investigation revealed the conversation of Mrs. Westrope with the old negroess. The police and a party of searchers went down to the river, but could find no trace of the woman. In the afternoon her effects at the hotel were examined and a letter addressed "To the people." It was somewhat lengthy, and stated she could not live and be happy.

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HE CHEATED JUSTICE

A Negro Desperado Dies in Jail of His Wounds.

One of the Three Men He Shot Dead and Another Will Hardly Recover.

A LYNCHING WAS AVERTED

Oseola, Ark., Sept. 9.—"Baldy" Taylor, the desperate negro who shot three white men on the train between this place and Luxora Sunday, died in the county jail from the effects of the pistol ball wound he received in the melee. His death was most opportune and propitious. Doubtless the jail would have been stormed and the negro lynched if death had not removed him beyond the reach of a mob. E. R. Hughes, one of the men shot by Taylor, died yesterday. His death was expected, but when it was announced the white populace became more firm in their determination to carry out the doctrine of an eye for an eye and a tooth for a tooth. It is hardly probable that any force Sheriff Bowen might have placed at the jail could have restrained them. It is, therefore, counted a fortunate circumstance that Taylor died from the wound which Hughes inflicted on him after the negro had mortally wounded him. Taylor made it a business of going to saw mills on pay days and winning all he could from the hands after they were paid off. He had about \$40 on his person when he was arrested. Taylor came from Memphis. He once ran a poker and crap game at a Beale street resort. Fisher's condition tonight is reported as critical. It is said that he has but a slim chance of surviving his wound. Schudy is only slightly wounded, and will recover. Taylor was aware that if he lived until night he would be lynched. He had nothing to say about the terrible fate which hung over him.

PROHIBITION WINS IN CHRISTIAN.
Hopkinsville, Sept. 9.—The report of the prohibition fight in Bennettstown district sent out yesterday was the reverse of the facts. The prohibition side won by 44 votes.

THE RUSH CONTINUES

More Pupils Continue to Enter the Public Schools.

Superintendent Hatfield Has Only Partial Reports From the Various Schools at Present.

MANY OTHERS ARE EXPECTED

The number of pupils entered in the local public schools yesterday was larger than the number entered the beginning of the fall term one year ago. "The number enrolled yesterday," Superintendent Hatfield found time to say this morning, "is much larger than I expected, and I am gratified with the result. I expected a large attendance but not so large as it is. There are many pupils still to enter and I am at work examining them and placing them in proper grades as fast as possible." The following is a report of the enrollment made yesterday, and is given in total, the teachers being too busy to make a full report of the enrollment by grades. White schools—Washington 441, Longfellow 247, Jefferson 311, Lee 250, Franklin 235, Langstaff 50 and Frontier 30, making a total enrollment in the white schools of 1554. Colored schools—Garfield 237 and Lincoln 371, making a total in colored schools of 608, and added to the total white enrollment makes a grand total, white and colored, of 2162. There is so much confusion and the teachers are so busy that an exact report of the attendance last year at the beginning of the fall term could not be secured. The attendance at the close of the schools the past spring was 2578, only 416 more than the opening of the schools yesterday. There are many pupils yet to be entered and the superintendent's office was again filled with them this morning. So fast do they come that he has been unable to keep tally of them in the order in which they come, and has to issue numbered slips and wait on them as their number comes. A number of parents wait several days before entering their pupils, those who failed to make a promoting grade, and have to have the pupils examined before entering them again and wait for the rush to cease. By the close of the month it is thought that the attendance will be larger than any month during the last term and if it does will mark a wonderful attendance in the local schools. The attendance in the High school is at present 35, the same number as last year.

HAND BADLY CUT.
FOREMAN MORGAN HAS HIS HAND CAUGHT IN MACHINERY.

Foreman Morgan, of the Ferguson and Palmer mill, at Third and Elizabeth streets, met with a painful injury yesterday afternoon while at work in the mill. He was working with several large pieces of timber and got his right hand accidentally caught beneath one and the member was painfully mangled. Dr. J. S. Troutman dressed the injury. Mr. Morgan will be laid up several days, the result of the accident, but the injury will not permanently effect the hand. —A final settlement with W. N. Grant, as administrator of the estate of Ed G. Owen was made and ordered recorded in county court today.

FUQUA NOW ON TRIAL

Spot Polk's Accomplice Facing a Jury for Life or Liberty.

The Norman Green Goods Case Continued this Morning in Circuit Court.

OTHER PROCEEDINGS OF TODAY

Lon Fuqua, colored, charged with being an accomplice in the murder of George Gray, to which crime Spot Polk pleaded guilty Saturday and was given a life sentence, is now on trial in circuit court and several witnesses were introduced this morning. It is predicted that a bad case will be made out against Fuqua, who is said to have been as much responsible for Gray's death as Polk, who is alleged to have shot after Fuqua told him to. It is not known whether Polk will be introduced as a witness or not. Charles Norman of Tennessee, who is in jail here for the alleged theft of \$1,000 from two Tennessee farmers, Messrs. John Northern and J. W. Daniels, whom he had brought here to sell green goods, will not be tried this term, as his case was this morning continued by agreement. All three are from Humphries county, Tennessee, and Norman brought the men here to sell them \$5,000 in green goods money for \$1,000 in good currency. He is alleged to have secured the farmers' money and on his return did not bring the green goods or the money, but stated that he had been thrown down, his trouser pocket cut and the \$1,000 taken from him. The charge of false swearing against Emma Martin, colored, in a case in which a woman was charged with having stolen from the Breeden drug store, was dismissed. T. J. Flournoy, assignee, against W. F. Pomroy; T. J. Atkins and others against G. J. Mitchell, administrator; Florence O. Smith against W. A. Bethel and others. In the case of Rachel Davis against the Paducah Railway and Light Co. a mandate from the court of appeals was filed reversing the judgment in the case. The grand jury reported another batch of indictments yesterday afternoon before the adjournment of court, the second since it was impaneled. In the following cases the commissioner's report of sale was confirmed and he was allowed his fees: In the case of Tobe Stegar against H. Dicke judgment to a debt amounting to \$75 was confessed. Samuel Howard, for setting fire to an outhouse at Mrs. Sarah Collier's, where he boarded. Alley Jackson, colored, for stealing \$20 from the cash drawer at Yeiser and McElrath's. The charge of obtaining money by false pretenses against Charles Carson was dismissed. Irvin Springer, colored, was indicted for breaking into a mill at Melber, this county. Columbus Carroll, for obtaining money by false pretenses from W. B. Alexander. Riley Gay, colored, for false swearing, was given a year in the penitentiary. Henry Petter was indicted for maliciously shooting Frank Eich in the eye. Jesse Webb, for obtaining money by false pretenses in selling stolen goods. Louis Gardner was indicted for stealing a watch from Bob Hoover. Jerry Cook, colored, for maliciously cutting Nora Hudson.

RIVER MEN

They Will Find Much of Interest at the Ohio Valley Meeting.

Invitations Are Now Being Sent Broadcast to November Meeting.

The invitations to the eighth annual convention of the Ohio Valley Improvement Association are being sent broadcast through the Ohio valley and have been received in Paducah. The convention will be held at Parkersburg, W. Va., Tuesday and Wednesday, November 11 and 13.

The invitations, signed by President John L. Vance, and Secretary E. P. Wilson, recite at some length the elaborate preparations now being made by the citizens of Parkersburg to entertain the visitors. Congressmen, state and municipal officers, manufacturers, merchants and others engaged in maritime or agricultural pursuits are strongly urged to attend the convention, which promises to be more successful than any of the association's previous gatherings.

An interesting and comprehensive program has been prepared along the following general line of work to be urged by the association:

First—Immediate completion of the projects already undertaken by the government, and for which provision has been made by the appropriation of adequate funds.

Second—The discussion of the merits and importance of other projects at different points upon the river, for which partial provision has been made by congress, in the way of examination, survey and reports, as to feasibility, advisability and expense of construction.

Third—Careful conclusions as to the recommendations which shall be submitted to the next congress as a basis for the framing of a new rivers and harbors bill, which shall provide for early completion of the entire system of locks and dams between Pittsburgh and Cairo.

Fourth—Such other kindred topics as members of the association and others interested may present.

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IS VERY ROMANTIC

Young Woman Still Claims to be Mrs. Reginald Duvall.

A Fierce Contest Was Waged for Possession of Dead Man's Personal Effects.

NO RECORD OF THE MARRIAGE

Since the Paducah papers published the alleged duplicity of the young woman claiming to be Mrs. Reginald Duvall, wife of the popular young Paducah engineer, who met his death in a wreck on the Southern railroad in Indiana not long since, the Louisville papers have taken up the threads of the story, and woven quite a romance about it.

Yesterday's Louisville Courier-Journal contains pictures of the deceased engineer, and the young woman, and the following account of the case:

Mrs. Reginald Duvall?

In the pocket of Reginald Duvall the brave young engineer who stuck to his post and rode to his death in a wreck on the Southern railway at Georgetown, Ind., during the early morning of August 24, was found a license authorizing the marriage of Flora Chamberlain and Reginald Duvall. The heartbroken woman had the body of her dead two-days mate borne to her father's home and from there buried in Cave Hill cemetery. A few days ago the body was disinterred and shipped to Paducah at the instance of the dead man's mother. And now the question arises: Was the marriage ever performed?

Since the very day of the funeral, quietly, but none the less fiercely—in fact, more bitterly from the very anxiety to keep it under cover, a fight has been raging between the mother of the dead man and the woman who loved him. And the climax seems now to have been reached in the removal of the body from Cave Hill, where it was first buried. The dead man's watch, his rings, his papers, his trunk—all have been procured by the family, while Flora Chamberlain, the girl whose name was mentioned in the license, has not even seen that paper to prove that Reginald Duvall ever intended to marry her. She has only her mourning dresses and her memories. Everything else is gone, while those opposed to her claim to be prepared to prove that no marriage ever took place.

Duvall was just 27, strong, handsome and game. Already he had come to be looked on as a rising young engineer when he met Flora Chamberlain, whose father has a record of thirty years' good service with the railroads. Duvall boarded at the house, and it was whispered that soon the young man and girl were to set up in a house of their own.

Both sides are agreed up to this point.

But now comes the division. On August 19, Duvall called at the courthouse and took out a license to wed Flora Chamberlain. Two days later, on the evening of August 21, according to the story of the girl, they were married.

In the early morning of August 24 Duvall's train crashed into another and Duvall was killed. The next day some of the papers had a notice of the marriage. The grief-stricken young woman took charge of the body. It was buried from the Chamberlain home, 2941 Bank street.

And the next morning the war began.

A lawyer for the family, called on the Southern Railway company to see about a settlement. Mrs. Reginald Duvall was announced and introduced at the same time. No settlement was arranged.

Then came the securing of the property. First the marriage license disappeared from the possession of the Chamberlains. It turned up in the hands of the opposition, and the certificate of marriage was not filled out.

Then a mysterious detective paid a night visit to the house on Bank street. He came back walking and following a cab that held the trunk of Reginald Duvall and all his belongings. When the sleuth was approached on the subject—in the language of the street—he took such a balloon ascension that he has never been seen since.

With all the property, proof gone, nothing remained to the defeated woman but the body of the man she loved. That was also next taken.

A reporter called at 2941 Bank street and asked for Mrs. Duvall. A handsome young woman with light hair and unusually striking blue eyes answered.

"I can't remember the name of the minister who married us," she said. "He was a Presbyterian, but I could not tell you where he lives. The return, I suppose, will be made to the clerk's office when the minister gets back from his vacation."

"I don't want any of the property. I want only to be Reggie's wife."

"Of course we had witnesses. My two brothers were the ones. They saw it."

As he was leaving the reporter met Mr. John Chamberlain in the hall.

"You and your brother were the witnesses at your sister's wedding, were you not?" asked the reporter.

"Oh, no! I was a witness. The second witness was just a friend of mine," responded Mr. Chamberlain. "Get that straight."

The reporter agreed to do so.

Yesterday's Louisville Times intimates there will be a lively contest as to which will receive damages from the railroad, the family or the woman claiming to be his wife. It says:

"The remains of Reginald Duvall, the young Southern engineer who was

GOOD SHOOTING.

THE GUN CLUB HELD A PRACTICE SHOOT YESTERDAY AFTERNOON.

There was a good crowd at the practice shoot of the Gun club yesterday afternoon at La Belle park, and in a fifteen target match the following scores were made: Armstrong 9, Lloyd 9, Lang 11, Mercer 11, Starr 14, Armstrong 5, Lloyd 9, Lang 14, Mercer 12, Warner 14, Robertson 14, Bronaugh 14, Robertson 12, Davis 14, Weille 6, Davis 15, Hansbro 9, Arenz 10, Weille 10, Rutback 9, Davis 13, Bronaugh 14, Weille 5, Warner 13.

In the ten bird matches the following scored: Bronaugh 9, Robertson 5, Weille 4, Warner 4, Davis 9, Mercer 8, Armstrong 6, Weille 4, Robertson 9, Warner 8, Robertson 9, Weille 5, Bronaugh 10, Davis 9, Hansbro 7, Arenz 5, Hills 7, Hunt 4, Davis 10, Weille 8, Hills 7, Hansbro 7, Arenz 7, Roack 6, Weille 7, Armstrong 6, Lloyd 4, Lang 9, Mercer 7.

HE WAS DISMISSED.

John Lydecker, who was arrested several days ago on a charge of contempt of court and fined for contempt by Justice Sears, was yesterday afternoon late acquitted on a writ of habeas corpus. He owed some money to a firm that was sued, and papers were served on him ordering that the money be paid to the court instead of the firm. He claimed the papers were not legally served and paid over the money to the firm, and when fined for contempt refused to pay the fine. To keep him from having to go to jail a writ of habeas corpus was taken out by his attorneys, and decided yesterday by Justice

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killed in the wreck near Georgetown August 24, have been disinterred and shipped to Paducah, his old home. His widow, who was Flora Chamberlain, now claims that her husband's family is seeking to prove that she was not married, with a view of securing whatever damages may be secured from the railroad company. She contends that the marriage took place and will take steps to prove her rights. Mrs. Duvall says:

"I was married to Reginald Duvall on the afternoon of August 19, in the presence of my brother, John Chamberlain, and my sister-in-law, Mrs. James Chamberlain, at Mrs. Chamberlain's home, at Twenty-eighth and St. Xavier streets. I think the preacher's name was Horrigan. He was a Presbyterian. My husband kept the license."

FOOT MASHED.

RAILROAD EMPLOYEE HURT AT PRINCETON YESTERDAY.

Herbert Jones, white, an employee of the I. C. at Princeton, was brought to the city last night with a mashed foot, the result of an accident yesterday afternoon at Princeton which came near costing him a leg.

"He is a switchman in the yards at Princeton and while acting as such, accidentally was thrown under a fast moving car and a toe mashed off. He went to catch on the car, but was jerked loose from the hold he had taken. His foot in reaching the ground did not alight right and went under one wheel, the wheel mashing the foot badly. By a desperate effort he flung himself back and away from the car, thereby saving himself from further injury."

DEATH OF A CHILD.

Frances Johnson, aged 3 months, died at 1310 Bernheim avenue last night and the remains were buried at Oak Grove this afternoon.

Young.

COMMERCIAL CLUB.

PRESIDENT PAXTON RESIGNS—MEETING TO BE HELD THIS EVENING.

Mr. W. F. Paxton, president of the Commercial club, yesterday afternoon at a called meeting of the directors at the Citizens' Savings bank, tendered his resignation on account of the growing demands of his business, and Mr. L. S. DuBois, the well known druggist, was elected to succeed him. Mr. James M. Lang is vice president, Mr. Robert Phillips treasurer and Mr. George H. Dains, secretary. A meeting of the club will be held tonight to transact regular business.

Mr. Paxton had been president of the club ever since its organization.

21 YEARS A DYSPLEPTIC.

R. H. Foster, 318 South Second street, Salt Lake City, writes: "I have been bothered with dyspepsia or indigestion for 21 years; tried many doctors without relief; recently I got a bottle of Herbine. One bottle cured me, I am now tapering off on the second. I have recommended it to my friends; it is curing them, too." 50c at DuBois, Kolb and Co.

PROMOTER HERE YESTERDAY.

Mr. J. H. Soery, the well known promoter, was in the city last evening on business, but accomplished nothing definite. He has just located a number of enterprises in Henderson, Memphis and other places, and may locate something here shortly.

PADUCAH COMPANY INCORPORATED.

Frankfort, Sept. 9.—The Tally Livery company of McCracken county, with \$5,000 capital stock, filed incorporation articles in the office of the secretary of state today. B. W. and Owen Tally are incorporators.

CASTORIA

For Infants and Children.

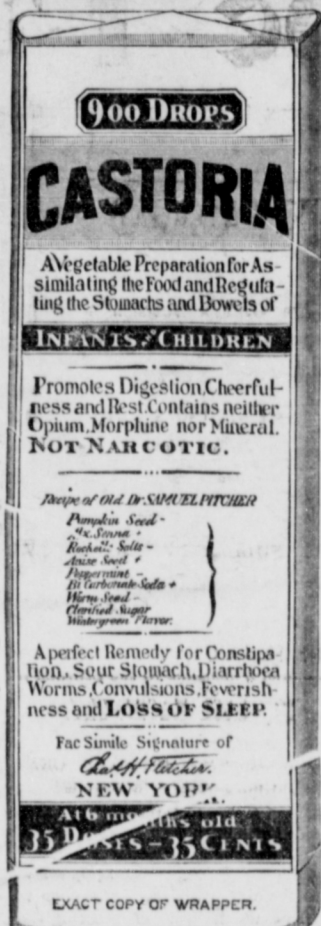
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Men's Finest \$7.50 Blue and Black Serge Coats and Vests, clean-up price **\$5.63**

Men's and Boys' \$5.00 Outing Coats and Pants, clean-up price **\$3.75**

Men's and Boys' \$7.50 Outing Coats and Pants, clean-up price **\$5.63**

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NARROW ESCAPE.

WES HALL FELL INTO THE RIVER BUT WAS FISHED OUT.

Wes Hall, the one-legged steamboat painter, fell into the river this morning about 5 o'clock between the Mary Stewart and the I. O. K., and came near being drowned. He stepped off the planks in the darkness, and his cries for help soon attracted Mr. Joe Waggoner and others, and they fished him out with spike poles, little the worse for his experience with the exception that he received a good wetting.

TO ORGANIZE UNION.

MR. ED LYDON WENT TO CAIRO THIS MORNING FOR BRICKLAYERS.

Mr. Ed Lydon, of the local Bricklayers' union No. 4, left this morning on the Dick Fowler for Cairo, where he will tonight organize a union of the bricklayers there. It is expected that about twenty members will be on the charter roll.

A HARD STRUGGLE.

MANY A PADUCAH CITIZEN FINDS THE STRUGGLE HARD.

With a back constantly aching With distressing urinary disorders Daily existence is but a struggle No need to keep it up.

Doan's Kidney Pills will cure you. Paducah people endorse this claim.

Mr. W. C. Overstreet, of 913 Trimble street, employed at P. F. Lalley's meat market, corner of Tenth and Trimble street, says: "When a man has been refused a policy by two different insurance companies owing to kidney complaint, when his back ached continually not only when stooped but even when he sat or reclined perfectly still, when he was weak, restless and annoyed with the kidney secretions, he naturally emphatically endorses the means employed to change his physical condition. Reading one day about Doan's Kidney Pills curing some one in a neighboring town induced me to call at DuBois and Co's drug store for a box. In less than a week I was so much benefited that I continued their use and told my friends and acquaintances what unexpected results I was receiving. I don't know if I ever will be radically cured of kidney complaint or not. I don't know if I am but there is one thing of which I am certain, at the present time I have not a symptom of my old trouble. I can be found any day at P. F. Lalley's old stand at the corner of Tenth and Trimble streets and you are welcome to send anyone to me for a corroboration of the above." For sale by all dealers. Price 50 cents a box. Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, N. Y., sole agents for the United States.

Remember the name—Doan's—and take no substitute.

TO PLACE MACHINERY.

WORK ON THE ILLINOIS CENTRAL'S NEW ENGINE HOUSE BEGINS.

Mr. D. A. Dennison, of the firm of Stephen and Tyler, of Chicago, arrived in the city yesterday afternoon to superintend the work of erecting the boiler and engine house and setting up the engine in the local Illinois Central shops.

Mr. Dennison began measuring off the ground this morning and is ready to rapidly push the work of building the brick house. The present boiler house will be partially torn away and an addition built to it, making it a much larger place, necessitated by the addition of two larger boilers. Four boilers are on the way here now, and are much larger than the present two now in use. A force of men is en route here now from Chicago to work on the building and the machinists will be here within a week to set up the engine. As previously stated the engine will be used in operating all the machinery in the entire three shops. The shafting will arrive today and will be gotten into condition to be placed up immediately after the building has been completed.

SISTERS KEPT APART OVER HALF CENTURY.

SEPARATED ON ARRIVAL FROM IRELAND, THEY MEET IN OHIO.

Springfield, O., Sept. 9.—Mrs. John Doley and Mrs. John Carney met here after a separation of 51 years of fruitless searching on the part of Mrs. Doley. They became separated in New York harbor after landing from Ireland. They lost all traces of each other until just a few weeks ago, when Mrs. Doley heard of her sister's living in Albany, N. Y. The meeting was an exceedingly affectionate one.

RAILROAD EXTENSION.

L. AND N. TO GO TO SHAWNEETOWN, ACCORDING TO REPORTS.

The Louisville and Nashville company, it is said, will extend the Providence, Ky., branch of the system through to Shawneetown, Ill., a distance of about 40 miles. This will pass through rich mineral and timber lands and give this system a closer point to St. Louis. It is said work will begin on this road at once.

WILL MARRY TONIGHT.

Mr. Fred English and Miss Mattie Pierson will tonight be married at the residence of Rev. L. B. Duncan on Bronson avenue, near Tenth street, by that minister at 8:30 o'clock. Both young people are well known and popular with their many friends and acquaintances, who will wish them all the success the world holds.

THE RIVER NEWS.

THE STAGES.

Cairo, 17.3—0.3 rise.
Chattanooga, 1.5—0.4 rise.
Cincinnati, 4.4—stand.
Evansville, 2.9—stand.
Florence, missing.
Johnsonville, 0.9—0.2 fall.
Louisville, 2.7—stand.
Mt. Carmel, 1.7—stand.
Nashville, 1.9—0.8 fall.
Pittsburg, 5.7—0.2 fall.
Davis Island Dam, 2.1—stand.
St. Louis, 16.6—1.2 fall.

Observations taken at 7 a. m. River 4.0 on the gauge, a fall of 0.2 in last 24 hours. Wind southwest, a light breeze. Weather clear and cooler. Rainfall in last 24 hours 0.11 inches. Temperature 59. Pell, Observer.

The I. O. K. is here from Cumberland river.

The Victor is due tomorrow from Tennessee river.

The Robert E. Lee has come off the Mound City ways.

The Penguin will arrive today from Tennessee river with ties.

The Sanddigger is at work again at the sandbar opposite the city.

The Memphis passed out of the Tennessee river this morning.

The Clifton will pass up the Tennessee river from St. Louis tonight.

The Charleston leaves at 5 o'clock this afternoon for Tennessee river.

The Fannie Wallace is still at the Tradewater mines for a tow of coal.

The Mande Kilgore departed this morning for Tennessee river for ties.

The Dick Fowler cleared on time this morning for Cairo with an excellent trip.

The ways and docks have all the work that can be attended to for several weeks to come.

The Henry Harley will arrive today from Tennessee river, and will leave tomorrow on her return trip.

The tie trade is going slow now and the boats can hardly go up the river to bring that product of the forest out.

The City of Savannah is the fastest boat between Pittsburg and New Orleans. She is the only one stuck fast aground.

The Mary Stewart arrived today. She was thrown out of her regular trip by the Saturday night excursion to Smithland.

The Butterff will arrive today from Evansville late, and will leave immediately on her arrival for that city on her return trip.

The Speed hull is now slowly rising to view and within a few days the river will have reached a sufficiently low stage to enable the workmen to tear the hull to pieces.

Captain Walter Houghland, of Evansville, former captain of the J. M. Bowle, is in the city today on business. He is running on a small packet boat out of Evansville and into Green river.

The New Orleans Times-Democrat says: "During the busy season there are between 20 and 25 negroes running in and out of New Orleans. While some of the smaller steamers take out only a crew of 20 or 25 negroes the larger boats take out 50 and sometimes as high as 75 men, who are paid at the rate of from \$80 to \$100 per month. The negro roustabout's importance is based on two apparently insurmountable facts: First, the boat cannot be operated without him; and, secondly, his place cannot be filled by white men."

A steamboat painted black from end to end would be a marine curiosity, and one that has been unknown ever since the days of Uncle Sam's gunboats. The day, however, is near when there will be a "real black" steamer in commission on the Mississippi river, and this will be the new railway transfer boat now being constructed at Howard's for the Missouri Southern, to be used near Cape Girardeau. The only other colors to be visible in her make-up will be a red water line around her hull and her name in white on the wheelhouse and pilot house.

In the southwest corner of Howard's shipyard at Jeffersonville stands a relic of the Civil war. The portion of the plant now known as the steel division was once covered with buildings occupied by Uncle Sam, with camp and garrison equipages, while the spaces between them were filled with cannon balls and shells. To protect this property, an engine house was constructed in the corner of the lot named, and in this was housed the Good Intent and its reel. It was a

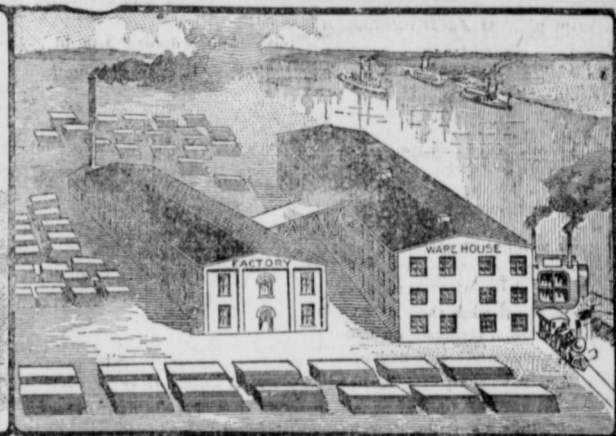
steamer, and remained in this station until 1870, Captain Billy Bowman, now foreman of the wood division, being the reel driver from 1865 to that date. About 1873, the Ford Plate Glass company established its plant on the ground, and all the old government buildings were torn away, except the one that had been used for the engine house. The engines, doctor, lead-topped chimneys, and nearly all the pipings are aboard the Shiloh, the new Tennessee river boat, but owing to the steel mills being short

on boiler plates, these very important adjuncts are not there. She is being completed as rapidly as possible.

CLOTHES STOLEN AT FULTON.

Lieutenant Moore was today notified that James Stevens, colored, is wanted at Fulton on a charge of stealing a suit of clothes. He is supposed to have come here, but the police have not seen him.

Conductor Lee Nance left this morning for Louisville.



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REPUBLICAN TICKET.

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HON. O. H. LINN, of Lyon, for Congress.

DAILY THOUGHT.

He hath riches sufficient who, hath enough to be charitable.

—Brown.

THE WEATHER.

Fair tonight with cooler in eastern portion. Wednesday fair.

CHANCE TO GET CLEAR WATER

The general council should think hard and well before it finally passes on the proposition to be made the water company relative to a filtration plant. The Sun is in favor of a filtration plant and believes a majority of the people are, because it would be a benefit to the entire community. The city is completely at the mercy of the water company in this matter, which may be unpleasant, but is nevertheless true. The water company cannot be compelled to put in a filtration plant. It cannot be made to furnish any clearer or purer water than it does. As a proof of this assertion is the proposition itself to be made the company by the general council. If the city can force the water company to put in a filtration plant or to furnish better water than is often furnished, the officials have been very indifferent in the enforcement of the law during the past several years, because they haven't done it. And if the city can force the water company to do these things, why should it be deemed necessary to appoint a committee to confer with the officials of the water company relative to a proposition to install a filtration apparatus?

It seems plain, therefore, that the city must persuade the water company to put in the filtering plant, else why has it never been done? The people want better and purer water, and can obtain it only through the general council's making a proposition that is acceptable to the water company. The water company states it is willing to put in the filtration plant, but hasn't the money. As long as the city has an option to purchase the waterworks every five years the company cannot induce outside capital to invest, and cannot obtain the necessary money. All it asks the city to do is to release the option so the com-

pany can issue and float bonds and put in the filtration plant.

If the general council believes the people want better and purer water, it should be certain its course is for the best should it do anything to prevent them getting it. The option on the waterworks has always been useless to the city, and as the value of the property increases every year and the probability of the city's ever buying it decreases every year, the option becomes more and more of a handicap, for it prevents the necessary enlargement of facilities to the plant to meet the increasing demands of growing population, just as it is doing now. At the same time it does the city not a particle of good.

With many other things worse needed, it is probable the people will never be in favor of the city's buying the waterworks, and is quite certain that the city will never be able to do it. It seems clear that there is no reason the city should not release the option in return for a filtration plant and the other inducements offered. Unless the council makes a proposition that is acceptable the people will never have more than they have at present. The other way the only thing they will relinquish will be a useless option that will never be of any benefit to the city, and they will get in return a first class filtration plant.

It would of course be better if with this filtration we could get the reduction in hydrant rent desired, but the water company will not make the concessions demanded. It is in a position to dictate the terms, it seems, rather than be dictated to. It offers to reduce the fire hydrant rental so as to make the total saving to the city during the life of the franchise \$28,000. This, together with the much desired advantages of filtration, ought to be sufficient to induce representatives of the people to promptly give up a useless option that will never do the city any good.

The people will doubtless not indorse any such unreasonable action as making a proposition that it is known beforehand the water company will not accept, thus depriving Paducah of a better and purer water supply.

THEY LIKE THE PRESIDENT.

The European papers, in recounting the narrow escape of President Roosevelt, express undisguised and sincere admiration for him. Incidentally several of the papers take occasion to express their frank opinion.

Le Petit Journal considers President Roosevelt as most virile, and a thoroughly typical American of his time. Other papers point out that the Pittsfield motorman nearly accomplished what all the Spanish soldiers at San Juan Hill failed to do. The notices, as a whole, are most complimentary.

The statement that President Roosevelt said to the motorman after the recent street car accident, following the question if he lost control of his car, that "if he didn't it was a damnable outrage," has quite captured the French, and a prominent statesman said if President Roosevelt should ever go to France the enthusiasm with which they would prove it would surprise the Old as well as New World.

The seventeenth week of the anthracite coal strike has passed and the total loss to all concerned is \$100,000,000, with no prospect of a settlement. The strike has done no one good, has proven a detriment and a curse to nearly everybody involved, and still it goes on. It is probably principle they are holding out for.

Orchestras, pipe organs and such things have become too tame for some of the Chicago church goers, and they have introduced the professional whistler into the choir.

Now that additional duties have been imposed on our city clerk, who has been appointed back tax collector, the council should provide him with another assistant.

RESULT OF A GIFT.

DISEASE GERM OF A FATAL INFANTILE MALADY AT LAST LOCATED.

Baltimore, Md., Sept. 9.—Grief of John D. Rockefeller for his grandson "Jack" enables science to announce the discovery of the germ of the infantile disease commonly called "summer complaint."

Less than a week after little "Jack" died, two years ago, Mr. Rockefeller offered a fund of \$200,000 to investigate the disease of children. He asked Dr. William H. Welch of this city to conduct the inquiry. The investigation, which has now been crowned with success, has been conducted this summer in the laboratory of the Thomas Wilson sanitarium for children at Mount Wilson, Baltimore county. Dr. Welch intrusted the work of research to two students, Chas. W. Duval of Annapolis and Victor H. Basset of Aledo, Ill. Mr. Basset had the honor of discovering the germ. To Mr. Duval is due the credit of isolating the organism.

When the searchers announced their discovery Dr. Welch and Dr. James H. M. Knox verified it. In forty-two cases out of fifty the specific organism isolated by Duval was found. The cases represented every variety of summer complaint except cholera infantum. In all the organism found was nearly identical with that which produces acute dysentery in adults. Dr. Welch and his associates will now try to find an antitoxin or cure for the disease.

LEAVES KENTUCKY.

WELL KNOWN POET AND ARTIST TO GO TO NEW YORK.

Frankfort, Sept. 9.—Robert Burns Wilson, the well known poet and artist, will leave Kentucky in October and make his home in New York. He will reside with Mrs. Wilson's parents, Gen. and Mrs. W. J. Hendrick. Mr. Wilson has long been identified with the artistic life in Kentucky. His poems have had a wide and appreciative reading and his paintings have found a ready sale here and elsewhere.

DEEDS.

Ferd Wetherington sold to Elsie Aaron Crawford for \$500, property on Harrison street.

Sol Knot purchased from J. C. Cowgill for \$100, land in the county on the Big Bayou creek.

F. M. Kelley purchased from J. D. Smith for \$1,100, land on the Paducah and Woodville road.

Gip Husbands, M. C., deeds to Eva Parish, for \$210, property in the Jarrett addition to the city.

M. Bloom and others deed to J. L. Bethshares, for \$725, property at Jackson and Seventh streets.

Land lying on the Paducah and Woodville road has been sold by F. M. Kelley to J. D. Smith for \$1,100.

Elsie Aaron Crawford deeded to Edna Beulah Wetherington for \$500, property in the Fountain park addition.

DEATHS IN CHRISTIAN COUNTY
Hopkinsville, Sept. 9.—August Lanzus died at his home in this city after lingering illness of peritonitis, aged 44 years.

Miss Zenobia Renshaw died at the home of her father, Reed Renshaw, near here, of typhoid fever, aged 15 years.

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Violinist Had Fingers Tapered.

Herbert F. Saylor of Quakertown, N. Y., who had an operation performed last year on his fingers to acquire a taper point in order to facilitate playing on the violin, writes from Leipzig, Germany, that the feeling has been restored, and that the operation has had the desired effect. It is expected that Mr. Saylor will have many imitators, and that this new departure will remove at least one serious obstacle to violin playing.—New York American.

Alarm Clock as Memorandum.

Like all other United States Senators, Mr. Dietrich of Nebraska has a great many engagements, but being a trifle forgetful about such things he has adopted an emphatic method of reminding himself. He carries with him a small alarm clock. If he has an engagement, say at 3 o'clock, the alarm goes off ten minutes before that time. Then he sets it for his next appointment, and so on through the day.

Danger in Cigars.

It may perhaps not be generally known that in the manufacture of cigars the workmen commonly moisten the tip of the cigar with their lips, instead of using water or another fluid which they can readily obtain. The workman claims that this process saves time and as he is paid by the piece the saving of time is a material object to him.—Philadelphia Medical Journal.

Difference in Girl Students.

Bare-headed and with their sleeves rolled above their elbows, the learned girls of Chicago University go about the campus. Not so their studious sisters out at Evanston, the Methodist suburb. "There is such an atmosphere of refinement and culture in Evanston," says Dean Martha Foote Crowe, "that I do not believe it would be possible for our girls to be careless of their appearance about the campus."

Meaning of "Kindly."

The expression in the prayer book, "kindly fruits of the earth," has for most persons no definite meaning on account of the difference in significance now attached to the word kindly from that used when the expression was first written. The word kindly in that connection meant as nearly as possible "of its kind," and the expression "kindly fruits of the earth" meant "the fruits of the earth each after its kind."

Wildcat Darkened Town.

At Fullerton (Wash.) a wildcat disabled the electric plant of the town and left its inhabitants in utter darkness one whole night. The cat climbed a pole, presumably in pursuit of some other creature, and becoming entangled in the electric wires, caused a short circuit. When the animal was found its body was roasted to a crisp.

Clerical Chess Players.

"A considerable portion of chess players are clergymen," a minister said the other day. "If you doubt this consult in the newspapers and the weeklies the columns regarding the game and to chess tournaments. It will amaze you the number of Revs. and D. D.'s that you will come upon there. The seriousness of the game is what makes it so particularly attractive to ministers."

Millionaires in the Militia.

The Twelfth New York regiment, now in camp up the Hudson near Peekskill, has among its lieutenants Cornelius Vanderbilt and Henry Rogers Winthrop, who are worth, respectively, \$7,500,000 and \$6,000,000. The two young millionaires sleep on cots in tents, drink their coffee out of their tin cups in the morning and eat off tin plates and declare they enjoy it to the limit.

England's First Cup of Tea.

The first cup of tea that was made in England was made by the Earl of Arlington, at his home, Arlington House, which stood where Buckingham Palace now stands. The Earl bought the tea from a Holland merchant for sixty shillings a pound.

Don Carlos Closely Watched.

Don Carlos, who appeared at a French watering place on the Spanish frontier just before King Alfonso's birthday, was invited at once by the French government to seek a residence in the interior of France.

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New Fancy Head Rice, per pound - 8c
New Choice Evaporated California Peaches, per pound - 10c
New Roll Map Herring (ready for use) 3 for - 10c
New Headless Sardells, per dozen - 8c
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—The Retail Clerks last night elected Mr. Robert Boone their representative to the State Federation of Labor.

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—Get your school book list and have it filled before the rush. R. D. Clements and Co. can furnish every grade complete.

—Mr. Ernest McIntyre has accepted the position of time keeper for the laborers employed by the new telephone company.

—Night school of the Smith Business College, corner Third and Madison streets, opens Monday, September 8. Students can enter any time. No classes. Phone 390.

—The Knights and Ladies of Honor last night celebrated the twenty-fifth anniversary of their organization, a large crowd being present and a delightful program being rendered.

—City Treasurer Wm. Kraus has announced for re-election and Mr. J. C. Pieper, who was mentioned as a candidate, has announced that he will not be a candidate. Mr. J. Henry Smith is also a candidate.

—The Paducah Preparatory school began its work today with an attendance of fifteen boys, the limit of the school. Prospects for the year are very bright and the school should be a success. The principal, Paul N. Peck of Washington, D. C., intends to add several new features.

—The difference between two clubs merging and one disbanding, turning over its paraphernalia to the other and all the members joining the other, is rather difficult to see. However, the Paducah and the Railroad Gun clubs are now one and the statement of their consolidation was published on the authority of Former Mayor Lang.

WILL FILED FOR PROBATE.

The will of the late Henry Hans was today filed for probate in the county court. He leaves to his wife, Addie Arnold Hans, all his real, personal and mixed property and appoints her his executrix.

AMONG THE SICK.

Deputy County Clerk Hiram Smedley is reported improving at Mont Eagle.

Mr. Irvin S. Cobb is on the sick list suffering from tonsillitis.

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About People And Social Notes.

Mr. Mat Rawls went to Dawson today for his health.

Mr. Oscar Hank returned from Mayfield today at noon.

Mr. W. E. Cochran will today return from Louisville.

Mr. George Wright returned from Mayfield today at noon.

Miss Gelia Harvey returned home Monday from St. Louis.

Mrs. C. J. Smith has returned from a visit to Newbern, Tenn.

Captain P. W. Hollingsworth has gone to Evansville on business.

Mrs. E. D. Thurman went to Dawson at noon today for her health.

Mrs. Lyeurgus Rice has returned from a visit to New Bernsides, Ill.

Mrs. Muscoe Burnett and family have returned from Cerulean Springs.

Mrs. A. Kroer and daughter came up from Cairo on the Fowler last night.

Mrs. Wallace Werner and children left today for Murphysboro, Ill., on a visit.

Mrs. Edward Etter and children have returned from a visit to Bridgeport, Ala.

Mrs. Laura Rudy returned to Ogden's Landing today after a visit to relatives here.

Mrs. James Koger and daughter, Miss Henrietta Koger, went to Hickman today to visit.

Mr. J. T. Norred and wife of Memphis were round trip passengers on the Dick Fowler this morning.

Dr. W. F. Alvey and Mr. and Mrs. James Glauber have gone to Elizabethtown, Ky., on a visit.

Messrs. Charles Cox and David Koger left this morning for Castle Heights college, Lebanon, Tenn., to enter school.

Mr. J. H. Quast and wife, of Louisville, and Mrs. H. Henshaw, of Louisville, returned home at noon today after a visit to Councilman Will Hummel and family.

IN POLICE COURT.

MARY PULLEN ACQUITTED OF MALICIOUS CUTTING THIS MORNING.

The case against Mary Pellen, colored, arrested several weeks ago for maliciously cutting Cora Hurt, was dismissed in the police court this morning, the evidence showing that the Hurt woman was in fault. The latter was fined \$10 and costs for a breach of the peace.

Ernest Hornecke was fined \$5 and costs for sleeping in a box car.

J. J. Woodward, a stranger, was fined \$1 and costs for a plain drunk.

MR. WINTER DEAD.

Clinton, Ky., Sept. 9.—W. G. Winter, one of Clinton's oldest and best citizens, is dead. Mr. Winter was 73 years old and had been in the drug business here for many years. The remains were buried at Hickman.

RAIN LAST NIGHT.

There was quite a shower about 2:30 o'clock this morning, preceded by wind that blew a few trees down and broke a great many branches in many parts of the city.

SOCIAL NOTES.

Mrs. Cook Husbands entertained with a luncheon at the Kentucky club today complimentary to Mrs. Oscar Hicks of Macon, Ga. Miss Beare of New York and Miss Anna Webb.

Hall Caine, the novelist and dramatist, was the recipient of many congratulations on May 14, when he completed his forty-ninth year.

ANOTHER HITCH

A Meeting of the Masonic and Odd Fellows Committee Called.

Will Probably Be Definitely Decided Tomorrow About New Building.

A meeting of the building committee of the Masonic and Odd Fellows lodges of Paducah will be held tomorrow night at the office of Mr. Abram Weil for the purpose of taking final action in the matter of erecting the fraternity building on Broadway between Fifth and Sixth on the site of the old Y. M. C. A. building.

A member of the committee stated this afternoon that since arrangements were made by which all the money needed could be secured, a question has arisen as to the advisability of erecting the building, it being alleged by some that there is no way it could be made to pay at present in Paducah.

Tomorrow night it is expected at the meeting to definitely decide whether the building will be erected or not, and on account of the importance of the decision, it will be awaited with great interest by the people of Paducah.

It may be decided to erect store buildings instead of an office building in case it is decided the latter cannot be made a source of revenue.

DONATIONS TO THE HOME OF THE FRIENDLESS.

The board of managers wish to express their thanks to the following persons who contributed to the Home during the month of August.

To the Paducah Mill and Elevator Co. barrel of flour.

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Mr. M. Bloom, ice for August.

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Mr. Richard Allen, fruit.

Mr. Henry Overby, box laundry soap.

Mr. Wm. Fathering, cantelopes.

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Leigh Storage Co., two bushels of potatoes.

Dr. Delia Caldwell, 1 dozen bottles of malted milk, 2 bottles of Cod Liver Oil.

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Mrs. Will Utterback, clothing.

Mrs. James Utterback, clothing.

Mrs. Reub Beatty, clothing.

Mrs. Adolph Weil, clothing.

Mrs. Harry Livingston, clothing.

Mrs. Herman Friedman, clothing.

Mrs. Cook Husbands, fruit.

Mrs. K. C. Calissi, vegetables.

Mrs. Jennings, vegetables.

Miss Ada Hart Miller, clothing, book, doll and sled.

Thanks are due the bakers of the city for bread.

The Pines for milk and all who in any manner contributed.

New York May Yet Catch Up.

A few evenings ago the Vienna public took a noisy farewell of the horse trams in the Ringstrasse. The two last cars, which started in opposite directions, were hung with blue lamps and decorated with flags and greenery. The oldest drivers were on the seats, and the oldest conductors in the wagons. Both cars were crowded to the utmost possible extent, and the police for once closed their eyes to overcrowding. Songs were sung and hurrahs given for the horses, while the noise brought the guests out of cafes, windows were thrown open and handkerchiefs waved. New York still retains the distinction of having more horse car mileage than any other city in the world.—New York Tribune.

First American Bible.

The only known copy of the original issue of the first Bible ever printed in America in the English language and the foundation stone for all collections of American bibles, known as the "Mark Baskett" Bible, was sold recently for \$2,025. It was printed by Kneeland Green of Boston in 1752, a small quarto, a reprint of a London imprint by Mark Baskett.

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And shines to beat the band,
At 4 the tempest howls anew
And winter rules the land.
And one will keep where'er he goes—
If he's a prudent man—
His winter and his summer clothes,
And overcoat and fan,
His gauze and flannel undersuits,
The flimsy ones and thick,
His outing shoes and fur-lined boots,
Where he can grab them quick.
—Elliott's Magazine.

A Love Song.

Who cares for winter wild without,
Who cares for frost and snow,
When all the one he thinks about,
Is where the roses grow?
Her smiles are sweet as sunshine bright;
Her eyes like heaven's own blue;
She fills for me the world with light—
Because she's dear and true!
Who cares for winds that blither blow,
For sleet or stinging rain,
When he at heart doth surely know—
His love gives love again?
Her whispers are like leaves attune
With wonder of the wind;
Her very presence sweet as June—
Enchanting heart and mind!
—William Brunton, in Good Housekeeping.

When You Hear the Robin Call.
You may read it "May" on the calendar,
You may fix your heart on spring,
But until you hear the robin's song
You will find it's no such thing!
For he's sure just when the snow flies,
And he knows spring's secrets all.
You may be quite sure 'tis May-time
When you hear the robin call!
They'll tell you the winter's ended—
You will hear it everywhere
Just for a little sunshine
And a breath of April air,
But you may be sure of one thing;
As sure as that rain will fall,
It is really, truly springtime
When you hear the robin call!
—Agnes Lewis Mitchell, in St. Nicholas.

A Trust Paradox.

Long ere the modern trust had been
This ancient trust began;
And you may own a share therein,
Like many another man.
For though it is as strict a trust
As any trust can be,
It never could, would, should or must
Become monopoly.
And many a man takes stock therein,
To scatter it abroad;
For neons long its name has been
The Ancient Trust in God!
—Edmund Vance Cooke, in Lippincott's Magazine.

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Band to Destroy Sparrows.

The Sparrow club of Elsenham, Essex, England, formed of fifteen farmers, have destroyed 36,000 old sparrows during the past ten years. The members pledged themselves to kill between September and May as many sparrows as they had farm acres. This year only one member had failed to keep this pledge, and he being seventy short, has paid the customary forfeit of a penny a head on seventy unslain sparrows.

Gave Woman Good Advice.

While Congressman Warnock of Ohio was serving as judge of the court of special pleas in his district, which position he held for ten years, he was one day trying a case in which a woman was a witness. An attorney asked her age and the witness hesitated. "Better answer the question now," said the lawyer. "The longer you hesitate the older you will be."

How a Town's Name Was Made.

Few persons know how the new town Donora was given its name. It is simple enough. The first syllable is part of the name of W. H. Donner, president of the Union Steel Company, which started the town, and the last syllable is the first name of Mrs. A. W. Mellon, the wife of one of those heavily interested in the town and steel company.

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The play was well cast and the specialties were splendid. These include Ed B. Rogers, in monologue and song. Baby Lewis, the child wonder, in acrobatic feats, Marie Lewis, in new songs and dances, and a musical team, in addition to Miss Marvin's beautiful songs, which always give great pleasure.

It is predicted that the company will do a big business every night.

The company will be further strengthened, some new people now being on the way.

Manager English has booked "Down in Hopkins" for November at the Kentucky. This is the company in which Mr. H. J. Foppé has signed, and will prove an excellent attraction at The Kentucky.

News has been received here that Mrs. Mart Beatty, who played at La Belle park during the summer, is very ill of typhoid fever in Kansas City, where they went to join a stock company.

WAS POSTPONED.

POLICE INVESTIGATION WAS NOT HELD LAST NIGHT.

The investigation of the charges against Officers Whitehurst and Linn for drunkenness, preferred by W. A. Dishon, the painter, were not investigated by the police commissioners last night, as Dr. John Bonds, one of the commissioners was absent from the city, and to await his return the investigation was postponed until Thursday evening. The accused, Mr. Dishon and about twenty-five witnesses were on hand for the trial, but the other three commissioners, Messrs. Pete Rogers, R. B. Sutherland and M. W. Clark did not desire to go into it without the other commissioner.

CONVICT ESCAPED.

LOCAL POLICE NOTIFIED TO LOOKOUT FOR HARRY SMITH, COLORED.

A telephone message was this morning received at police headquarters from Eddyville stating that Harry Smith, a colored convict sent up from Hopkins county, and a trusty, failed to show up last night, and has escaped. He was a driver about the prison, and had been a trusty for some time. The police have a description of him, but have heard nothing of him.

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SUES THE CITY.

Mrs. A. J. Dooline has sued the city for \$250, claiming that she rented a bench at the market May 3 last until December 31 and was shortly thereafter made to vacate by a city official. She asks for the above amount of damages.

Mr. L. A. Urbansky went to Western, Ky., today to do advertising for the Grand Leader clothing house here.

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But this is matter only for conjecture, things having gone otherwise than he forecast.

"Keep her away a point," sings out Mr. Riach. "Reef to windward!"

And just at the same time the tide caught the brig and threw the wind out of her sails. She came round into the wind like a top, and the next moment struck the reef with such a dunch as threw us all flat upon the deck, and came near to shake Mr. Riach from his place upon the mast.

I was on my feet in a minute. The reef on which we had struck was close in under the southwest end of Mull, off a little isle the "call Earraid, which lay low and black upon the larboard. Sometimes the swell broke clean over us; sometimes it only ground the poor brig upon the reef, so that we could hear her beat herself to pieces, and what with the great noise of the sails, and the singing of the wind, and the flying of the spray in the moonlight, and the sense of danger, I think my head was partly turned, for I could scarcely understand the things I saw.

Presently I observed Mr. Riach and the seamen busy around the skill, and still in the same blank ran over to assist them, and as soon as I set my hand to work my mind came clear again. It was no very easy task, for the skill lay amidships and was full of hamper, and the breaking of the heavier seas continually forced us to give over and hold on, but we all wrought like horses while we could.

Meanwhile such of the wounded as could move came clambering out of the fore scuttle and began to help, while the rest that lay helpless in their bunks, narrowed me with screaming and begging to be saved.

The captain took no part. It seemed he was struck stupid. He stood holding by the shrouds, talking to himself and growling out aloud whenever the ship hammered on the rock. His brig was like wife and child to him. He had looked on day by day at the misadventure of poor Ransome, but when it came to the brig he seemed to suffer along with her.

All the time of our working at the boat I remember only one other thing—that I asked Alan, looking across at the shore, what country it was, and he answered it was the worst possible for him, for it was a land of the Campbells.

We had one of the wounded men told off to keep a watch upon the seas and cry us warning. Well, we had the boat about ready to be launched when this man sung out pretty shrill, "For God's sake, hold on!" We knew by his tone that it was something more than ordinary, and sure enough there followed a sea so huge that it lifted the brig right up and canted her over on her beam. Whether the cry came too late or my bold was too weak I know not, but at the sudden tilting of the ship I was cast clean over the bulwarks into the sea.

I went down and drank my fill, and then came up and got a blink of the moon, and then went down again.

Presently I found I was holding to a spar, which helped me somewhat. And then all of a sudden I was in quiet water and began to come to myself.

It was the spare yard I had got hold of, and I was amazed to see how far I had traveled from the brig. I hailed her indeed; but it was plain she was already out of cry. She was still holding together, but whether or not they had yet launched the boat I was too far off and too low down to see.

While I was hailing the brig I spied a tract of water lying between us, where no great waves came, but which yet boiled with all over and bristled in the moon with rings and bubbles. Sometimes the whole tract swung to one side like the tail of a live serpent; sometimes for a glimpse it all would disappear and then boil up again. What it was I had no guess, which for the time increased my fear of it, but I now know it must have been the roost or tide race which had carried me away so fast and tumbled me about so cruelly, and at last, as if tired of that play, had flung out me and the spare yard upon its landward margin.

I now lay quite becalmed, and began to feel that a man can die of cold as well as of drowning. The shores of Earraid were close in. I could see in the moonlight the dots of heather and the sparkling of the mica in the rocks.

"Well," thought I to myself, "if I cannot get as far as that it's strange!"

I had no skill of swimming, Essen water being small in our neighborhood, but when I laid hold upon the yard with both arms and kicked out with both feet I soon began to find that I was moving. Hard work it was, and mortally slow, but in about an hour of kicking and splashing I had got well in between the

points of a sandy bay surrounded by low hills.

The sea was here quite quiet, there was no sound of any surf, the moon shone clear and I thought in my heart I had never seen a place so desert and desolate. But it was dry land, and when at last it grew so shallow that I could leave the yard and wade ashore upon my feet I cannot tell if I was more tired or more grateful. Both, at least I was, tired as I never was before that night, and grateful to God as I trust I have been often, though never with more cause.

CHAPTER XIV.

THE LAD WITH THE SILVER BUTTON, THROUGH THE ISLE OF MULL.



Drawing a knife from his rags he squatted back and grinned at me.

The Ross of Mull, which I had got upon, was rugged and trackless, being all bog and brier and big stone. There may be roads for them that know that country well; but for my part I had no better guide than my own nose, and no other landmark than Ben More.

I aimed as well as I could for a smoke I had seen, and with all my great weariness and difficulty of the way came upon the house at the bottom of a little hollow about five or six at night. It was low and longish, roofed with turf and built of un-mortared stones, and on a mound in front of it an old man sat smoking his pipe in the sun.

With what little English he had he gave me to understand that my shipmates had got safe ashore, and had broken bread in that very house the day after.

"Was there one," I asked, "dressed like a gentleman?"

He said they all wore rough greatcoats; but, to be sure, the first of them, the one that came alone, wore breeches and stockings, while the rest had sailors' trousers.

"Ah," said I, "and he would have a feathered hat?"

He told me no; that he was bare headed like myself.

At first I thought Alan might have lost his hat, and then the rain came in my mind, and I judged it more likely he had it out of harm's way under his greatcoat. This set me smiling, partly because my friend was safe, partly to think of his vanity in dress.

And then the old gentleman clapped his hand to his brow and cried out that I must be the lad with the silver button.

"Why, yes," said I in some wonder.

"Well, then," said the old gentleman, "I have a word for you that you are to follow your friend to his country by Torosay."

He then asked me how I had fared, and I told him my tale. A south countryman would certainly have laughed, but this old gentleman (I call him so because of his manners, for his clothes were dropping off his back) heard me all through with nothing but gravity and pity. When I had done he took me by the hand, led me into his hut (it was no better) and presented me before his wife, as if she had been the queen and I a duke.

The good woman set out bread before me and a cold grouse, patting my shoulder and smiling to me all the time, for she had no English; and the old gentleman, not to be behind, brewed me a strong punch out of their country spirit. All the while I was eating, and after that, when I was drinking the punch, I could scarce come to believe in my good fortune, and the house, though it was thick with the peat smoke and full of holes as a colander, seemed like a palace.

The punch threw me in a strong sweat and a deep slumber. The good people let me lie, and it was near noon of the next day before I took the road, my throat already easier and my spirits quite restored by good fare and good news.

Thought I to myself, "If these are the wild highlanders I could wish my own folk wilder."

I not only started late, but I must have wandered nearly half the time. True, I met plenty of people, grubbing in little miserable fields that would not

keep a cat, or herding little kine about the bigness of asses. The highland dress being forbidden by law, since the rebellion, and the people condemned to the lowland habit, which they much disliked, it was strange to see the variety of their array. Some went bare, only for a hanging cloak or greatcoat, and carried their trousers on their backs like a useless burden; some had made an imitation of the tartan with little particolored stripes, patched together like an old wife's quilt; others again still wore the highland philibeg, but by putting a few stitches between the legs transformed it into a pair of trousers like a Dutchman's. All those make-shifts were condemned and punished, for the law was harshly applied, in hopes to break up the clan spirit; but in that out of the way sea bound isle there were few to make remarks and fewer to tell tales.

At last, about eight at night, and already very weary, I came to a large house, where I asked admittance and was refused, until I bethought me of the power of money in so poor a country, and held up one of my guineas in my finger and thumb. Thereupon the man of the house, who had hitherto pretended to have no English, and driven me from his door by signals, suddenly began to speak as clearly as was needful, and agreed for five shillings to give me a night's lodging and guide me the next day to Torosay.

I slept uneasily that night, fearing I should be robbed; but I might have spared myself the pain, for my host was no robber, only miserably poor and a great cheat. He was not alone in his poverty, for the next morning we must go about five miles to the house of what he called a rich man to have one of my guineas changed.

This was perhaps a rich man for Mull; he would have scarce been thought so in the south, for it took all he had; the whole house was turned upside down and a neighbor brought under contribution before he could scrape together twenty shillings in silver. The odd shilling he kept for himself, protesting he could ill afford to have so great a sum of money lying "locked up." For all that, he was very courteous and well spoken, made us both sit down with his family to dinner and brewed punch in a fine china bowl, over which my rascal guide grew so merry that he refused to start.

I was for getting angry, and appealed to the rich man (Hector Maclean was his name) who had been a witness to our bargain and to my payment of the five shillings. But Maclean had taken his share of the punch, and vowed that no gentleman should leave his table after the bowl was brewed; so there was nothing for it but to sit and hear Jacobite toasts and Gaelic songs till all were tipsy and staggered off to the bed or the barn for their night's rest.

Next day (the fourth of my travels) we were up before five upon the clock, but my rascal guide got to the bottle at once, and it was three hours before I had him clear of the house, and then, as you shall hear, only for a worse disappointment.

As long as we went down a heathery valley that lay before Mr. Maclean's house, all went well; only my guide looked constantly over his shoulder, and when I asked him the cause only grinned at me. No sooner, however, had we crossed the back of a hill, and got out of sight of the back windows, than he told me Torosay lay right in front, and that a hilltop (which he pointed out) was my best landmark.

"I care very little for that," said I, "since you are going with me."

The impudent cheat answered me in the Gaelic that he had no English.

"My fine fellow," I said, "I know very well your English comes and goes. Tell me what will bring it back? Is it more money you wish?"

"Five shillings mair," said he, "and herself will bring ye there."

I reflected awhile and then offered him two, which he accepted greedily and insisted on having in his hands at once—

"For luck," as he said, but I think it was rather for my misfortune.

The two shillings carried him not quite as many miles, at the end of which distance he sat down upon the wayside and took off his brogues from his feet, like a man about to rest.

I was now redhot. "Ha!" said I, "have you no more English?"

He said impudently, "No."

At that I boiled over and lifted my hand to strike him, and he, drawing a knife from his rags, squatted back and grinned at me like a wildcat. At that, forgetting everything but my anger, I ran in upon him, put aside his knife with my left and struck him in the mouth with my right. I was a strong lad and very angry, and he but a little man, and he went down before me heavily. By good luck his knife flew out of his hand as he fell.

I picked up both that and his brogues, wished him a good morning and set off upon my way, leaving him barefooted and disarmed. I chuckled to myself as I went, being sure I was done with that rogue for a variety of reasons. First, he knew he could have no more of my money; next, the brogues were worth in that country only a few pence, and lastly the knife, which was really a dagger, it was against the law for him to carry.

[TO BE CONTINUED.]

Mrs. W. J. Asplan will today return from Dawson.

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RAILROAD TIME TABLES.

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SENSATION SPRUNG

A St. Louis Fugitive Returns to Turn States Evidence.

Bench Warrants Issued for Eighteen Members of the House of Delegates.

St. Louis, Mo., Sept. 9.—A sensation was caused by the issuance of bench warrants for the former house of delegates on the confession of Delegate J. K. Murrell, who fled to Mexico last spring after being indicted for bribery by the grand jury in connection with the alleged bootlegging operations of the municipal assembly in relation to the granting of street railroad franchises. He will, it is stated, be granted immunity from punishment for turning state's evidence.

Following are the names of members of the alleged combine, for whom bench warrants were issued, charging bribery and perjury in connection with the suburban street railway and other legislation: Ed E. Murrell, John H. Schnettler, Charles F. Kelly, T. E. Albright, George F. Robertson, Louis Decker, John Helms, Charles A. Gutke, Adolph Madera, H. A. Faulkner, Julius Lehmann, Edmund Bersch, Otto Schumacher, John A. Sheridan, Charles J. Denny, Wm. Tamblin, J. J. Hannigan and Emile Hartman.

A BIG PICNIC

Retail Merchants Planning to Have a Large Blow-out.

People From All the Surrounding Cities to Be Invited to Attend.

The Retail Grocers Association and the retail merchants of Paducah are considering a plan to give a big picnic in Paducah about the middle of next month at the fair grounds and invite the people from all the neighboring cities to attend. It will be a big affair, in fact the greatest ever seen in this part of the country, and is expected to attract more people to Paducah than a county fair.

As yet plans have not been perfected, but it is believed that shortly something definite will be given relative to the time and arrangements.

U. D. C. MET TODAY.

THE STATE MEETING INVITED HERE IN 1903.

The United Daughters of the Confederacy met with Mrs. Victoria H. Thompson this morning. It was the first regular meeting of the fall, and several questions of importance were up for consideration. It was decided to ask the permission of the board of education to allow the local chapter to put a picture of General Robert E. Lee in each building.

Mrs. Thompson, as president, was appointed to represent the chapter at the state meeting at Newport on October 8. Mrs. T. E. Moss was elected delegate to this meeting and Mrs. Louise Maxwell alternate. These were empowered to invite the next state meeting to Paducah in October, 1903.

The election of officers will be held at the regular November meeting.

PRISON SENTENCES.

Hickman, Ky., Sept. 9.—Andrew Evans was given a year's imprisonment for grand larceny. Jim Pate and George Aron, charged with horse stealing, pleaded guilty and were sent to the penitentiary for a period of four years. Maude Lynch, charged with maliciously cutting Fanny Stovall, was found guilty and fined \$50.

TAKEN TO THE CITY HOSPITAL.

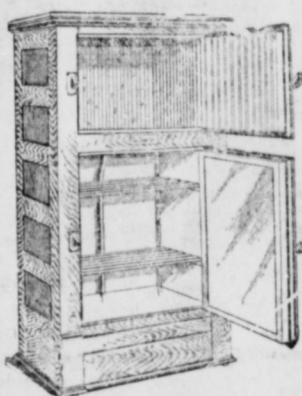
William Fager, white, was taken from the ice factory this morning to the city hospital suffering from a case of malarial fever. He is very ill.



THE TIME HAS COME



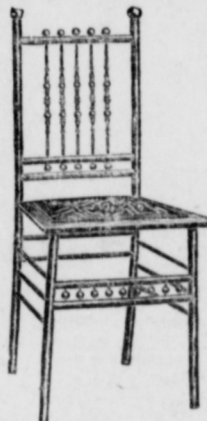
For us to make our last and greatest Sacrifice: A few more days and we will be ready to open up our New Store. It is our desire and intention to close out every article in our present location before going into our new. We propose to make prices do the work, and that quickly. Never before in the history of Paducah have you had such an opportunity to purchase Furniture and Housefurnishings as cheap as at the present time. Remember that this Great Removal Sale cannot last but a few days longer. You must come at once. Don't matter whether you have the money or not, we can arrange the terms to suit you.



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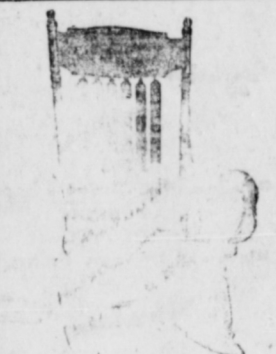
87c For one of these corner Medicine Cabinets. Has mirror in door. Golden finish. A big bargain.



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CARPETS AND MATTINGS.
We have some nice Carpets left and have made another big cut in the prices. Ingrains at 25c per yard; Brussels at 45c per yard. Mattings at 8c per yard. Good rugs at 95c.



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TO PLAY WITH MAYFIELD.

The services of Messrs. Walter Wilkins and Alonzo Hedges, the well known baseball players, have been secured by the Mayfield ball team for a series of three games with the Linden, Tenn., team. A recent series of games between these two teams resulted in a victory for each team and a tie score in the third game. The series of games will be played some time this week.

Supervisor W. C. Waggener, of Central City, arrived in the city at noon today on his electric and gasoline motor car after an inspection of the road between here and Central City.

BACK TAX COLLECTOR.

MAYOR YEISER APPOINTS CITY CLERK W. H. PATTERSON.

Mayor D. A. Yeiser today appointed City Clerk W. H. Patterson back tax collector, a position authorized under the new charter, and which takes from the hands of the city treasurer the duty of collecting back taxes, and leaves him to collect only new taxes.

Charles Slaughter, Frank Slaughter, and Mrs. John Slaughter and Mrs. J. Bryan returned Monday from a visit to St. Louis.

ANOTHER CONDEMNATION SUIT.

THE RIGHT OF WAY DESIRED THROUGH MRS. COLEMAN'S PROPERTY.

A petition was filed today in county court by the Chicago, St. Louis and New Orleans railroad against Mary Belle Coleman and others to secure a right of way through the defendants' land. The defendants live on the Cairo right of way. B. F. Wilcox, C. O. Thompson and Ed Willett were appointed commissioners.

Messrs. S. P. and J. F. Trewalla of Hinkleville were at the Palmer today.

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